

## 365 Shades of Blue

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If you live on the Lake, you know that it's true, each day on the Lake brings a new shade of Blue.

From day to day and dawn to dusk, the Blue shades shift and speak to us.

The aqua Blues and summer sun remind us that it's time for fun.

The milky Blues with silky fog suggest a day to walk the dog.

The dark black Blues with angry waves demand a more respectful play.

And so it goes from day to day, the Blue shades shift, the Blue shades say, a different story every day.

The Lake is not a lifeless thing. It changes each day, from Summer through Spring.

It changes us too, if we stop and we listen. If we slow ourselves down, and we see what we're missing.

We'll see some new Blues and we'll learn some new things. We'll see the fresh dew and we'll hear the gulls sing.

We'll feel the cool breeze and we'll find the Lake's pace. We'll love how it proves life just isn't a race.

If you want to learn more, take a walk on the shore. Put your toes in the sand and a hand in your hand,

And enjoy the Lake views, enjoy all of its beaches, enjoy all of its Blues, and enjoy what it teaches.